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NEWS RELEASE

United States Attorney Michael L. Levy today announced the unsealing of a two-count indictment<sup>1</sup>, charging defendants Rahmmar Self and Haziz Self with one count of distributing more than five grams of “crack” cocaine, and one count of distribution of more than five grams of “crack” cocaine within 1,000 feet of public housing. The indictment alleges that, on March 4, 2009, Rahmmar Self and Haziz Self sold more than five grams of crack cocaine near the Liddonfield Homes on Torresdale Avenue, Philadelphia.

INFORMATION REGARDING THE DEFENDANTS

NAME	ADDRESS	AGE OR YEAR OF BIRTH
RAHMMAR SELF	Philadelphia, PA	26
HAZIZ SELF	Philadelphia, PA	32

If convicted, Rahmmar Self faces a maximum possible sentence of 80 years imprisonment and a \$4,000,000 fine, and Haziz Self faces a maximum possible sentence of life imprisonment and a \$16,000,000 fine.

The case was investigated by the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms, and Explosives and the Philadelphia Police Department and is being prosecuted by Assistant United States Attorney K.T. Newton.

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<sup>1</sup>An Indictment or Information is an accusation. A defendant is presumed innocent unless and until proven guilty.